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Wade Stevens McKinnon, WY 82938

RE: Beaver Creek Distribution System
Control Structures & Measuring Devices

Dear Mr. Stevens:

It has been brought to our attention that the old wooden headgate on the Preemption ditch in a state of disrepair.

Section 73-5-4 of the Utah Code Annotated, 1953 as amended states in part:

"Every person using water in this state shall construct or install and maintain a substantial headgate, cap, valve or other controlling works, weir, flume and measuring device at each point where water is diverted or turned out, for the purpose of regulating and measuring the quantity of water that may be used."

Therefore, you are hereby notified that you need to replace the existing headgate with an acceptable lockable headgate.

If there are special circumstances or if you have any questions, of please contact me at the Vernal Office at 781-5327 or Lee Sim, Directing Engineer for Adjudication/Distribution at 538-7380.

Sincerely,

Robert W. Leake, P.E. Regional Engineer

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